

# **<sup>i</sup>CURRICULUM VITAE**

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## ***PRESENT PRACTICE*** (2007-Present)

Schwartz Laser Eye Center  
Director of Optometric Services  
Director of Dry Eye Center of Excellence  
8416 E. Shea Blvd., Suite C-101  
Scottsdale, Arizona 85260  
480-483-3937

MRB Eye Consultants, LLC  
President  
8776 E Shea Blvd., #106-1067  
Scottsdale, Arizona 85260  
602-708-7271

## **STUDY SITE (Present)**

Eye Care North  
29605 N. Cave Creek Rd, Suite 102  
Cave Creek, Az 85331

Dr. My Eyes  
10900 N Scottsdale Rd Ste 301,  
Scottsdale, AZ 85254

## ***EDUCATION***

Doctor of Optometry – May 1994  
New England College of Optometry  
424 Beacon Street  
Boston, Massachusetts 02115

Bachelor of Science in Biology – June 1990  
University of California at Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California

## ***TRAINING***

Secondary Ophthalmic Care Residency 1994-1995  
The Barnet-Dulaney Eye Center, Phoenix, Arizona

## ***PROFESSIONAL HISTORY***

1999-2006

Refractive Clinic Medical Director  
The Barnet Dulaney Perkins Eye Center  
4800 N. 22nd Street  
Phoenix, Arizona 85016

1994-1999 Staff Optometrist  
The Barnet Dulaney Perkins Eye Center

1996-1999 Staff Optometrist  
Guy T. McDougal, OD  
Mesa, Arizona

1994-1999 Staff Optometrist  
Gail Schechter, OD  
Scottsdale, Arizona

***Faculty Positions***

2009- **Present** Adjunct Assistant Professor  
Arizona College of Optometry

2000-2017 Adjunct Assistant Professor  
Southern California College of Optometry

2000- 2004 Adjunct Assistant Professor  
New England College of Optometry

2019-**Present** Dry Eye University, Faculty  
Bowden Eye Center, Florida

***LICENSURE***

State of Arizona 1994

***PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS***

Fellow, American Academy of Optometry-**Present**  
International Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons-2001  
Arizona Optometric Association (AZOA)-**Present**  
Legislative Chair 1998-2009  
Past-President 2000  
President 1999  
President-Elect 1998  
Vice President 1997  
Board Member 1996  
Membership Chairperson 1995  
American Optometric Association  
American Optometric Association Political Action Committee  
Beta Sigma Kappa Optometric Honors Society  
Resolutions Committee 2001 AOA Congress  
AOA ACOE Consultant 2002-2019  
Optometric Council on Refractive Technology Founder -2008

American Optometric Association CE Committee 2010-2015  
 Ocular Surface Society of Optometry Board Member 2011-2014  
 American Optometric Association CE Chair 2015-2018  
 Alpha Omega Consultant 2021-**Present**  
 Governor’s Council on Tele-Health 2021-**Present**  
 Vison Expo Education Chairman 2021-**Present**

***AWARDS***

AzOA Presidential Award 1996  
 Top Optometrist’s 2001  
 AzOA Presidential Award 2001  
 Newsweek Top 150 OD’s- 2022, 2023

***ADVISORY BOARD/  
 CONSULTANT***

Thea Pharmaceuticals 2020-**Present**  
 Arizona Foundation for the Eye 2000-2005  
 Abbott Medical Optics 2009-2016  
 Alcon 2000-**Present**  
 Allergan Inner Circle 2007-**Present**  
 Eye Care Arizona Inc., President 2000-2006  
 Visx Optometric Advisory Board 2002-2007  
 OcuSoft 2013-**Present**  
 BioTissue 2014-**Present**  
 Bausch & Lomb 2014-**Present**  
 Inspire Speaker Panel 2010-2012  
 Odyssey Advisory Board 2008-2013  
 Reichert Ophthalmic 2010-**Present**  
 Akorn 2013-2020  
 TearLab (Trukera) 2010-**Present**  
 Lunovus 2015-2017  
 Kala 2017-2022  
 Bruder-2017-**Present**  
 Johnson and Johnson 2017-**Present**  
 Sun Health 2017-**Present**  
 Shire/Takeda 2018-2020  
 Novartis 2018-2022  
 Sight Sciences 2018-**Present**  
 Azura 2018-**Present**  
 Visus 2020-**Present**  
 Tarsus 2021-**Present**  
 STAAR Surgical 2000-**Present**  
 LENZ Pharmaceuticals 2023-**Present**

**LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS –  
(Selected)**

*Numerous lectures since 2003 to Present (Sample)*

*Toronto Dry Eye Summit, Toronto, ON-11/24*

*Nashville, TN, New Technology-11/24*

*VEW, Las Vegas, NV-9/24*

*Windsor, ON, VEI Conference-10/24*

*Omaha, NE, OOPA-7/2024*

*Lansing, MI, MOA-5-24*

*Hamilton, ON, Ontario Optometric Association-4/24*

*Lexington, KY, Kentucky Optometric Association-4/24*

*Minneapolis, MN, Minnesota Optometric Association-4/24*

*Toronto, ON, Ontario Optometric Association -11/23*

*VEW/VEE-2023-2024*

*AAO, San Diego, CA-10/22*

*Vancouver, BC, BCOA-Canada 5/22*

*VEW/VEE-3/22 and 9/22*

*Ontario Optometric Association, Toronto-3/22*

*Dallas, Texas TOA-3/21*

*Manitoba Association of Optometrist CE-10/17*

*Manitoba, Winnipeg, Canada*

*University of Waterloo CE-9/17*

*Waterloo, Ontario, Canada-9/18*

*Allergan Canada Dry Eye-5/17*

*Toronto, Ontario, Canada*

*Cornea and Contact Lens of NZ-2/17*

*Auckland, NZ*

*British Columbia Optometric Association-2/17*

*Vancouver, BC, Canada*

*Voyages in Vision-11/16*

*Antigua Islands, West Indies*

*Windsor Laser Eye Center CE-10/16*

*Windsor, Ontario, Canada*

*Crystal Clear Vision Summit-9/16*

*Toronto, Ontario, Canada*

*Review of Optometry-Bermuda Islands-6/15*

*Saskatchewan Optometric Association-6/15*

*Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada*

*Vision Institute CE Meeting-11/14*

*Toronto, Ontario, Canada*

*Windsor Laser Eye CE Meeting-11/2014*

*Windsor, Ontario, Canada*

*Rosenberg School of Optometry*

*Heidelberg, Germany 07/14*

*SRC, Melbourne, AU 2/14*

Trinidad and Tobago Optometric Assc  
Trinidad and Tobago 10/13  
AEA Vancouver-Alaska Cruise Lecture-7/13  
“New Technology in Refractive Surgery”  
Georgia Optometric Association 10/02  
“Glaucoma and LASIK: Some things don’t mix”  
12<sup>th</sup> Annual Victoria Conference 7/02  
“Skin Cancer and the OD’s Role”

12<sup>th</sup> Annual Victoria Conference 7/02  
“Glaucoma and LASIK”  
12<sup>th</sup> Annual Victoria Conference 7/02  
“New IOL’s”  
American Optometric Association 6/02  
“Treating Presbyopia in the New Millennium”  
American Optometric Association 6/02  
“Resolution of Grade IV DLK with the use of steroids”  
Poster Presentation  
West Los Angeles Optometric Society 3/02  
“New Treatments for Dry Eye”  
West Los Angeles Optometric Society 3/02  
American Academy of Optometry 12/02  
“Phakic IOL: The Next Great Refractive Surgery”  
Therapy by the Sea 10/01  
“LASIK Complications and Management”  
Therapy by the Sea 10/01  
“New Treatments in Dry Eye Therapy”  
Therapy by the Sea 10/01  
“Beyond LASIK”  
Arizona Optometric Association 6/01  
“Glaucoma and LASIK”  
AOA Congress 6/01  
Topography and Pachymetry Workshop  
ASCRS 4/01  
“Q-Vis Ltd. Eye: Q Solid State Laser US Low to  
Moderate Myopia LASIK Clinical Study Update.”  
Central Arizona Optometric Society 3/01  
“LASIK Complications and Management”  
Southern Arizona Optometric Society 2/01  
“Refractive Options for the Hyperope”  
Bronstein Contact Lens Seminar 2/01  
“Beyond LASIK”  
BDPEC Optometric Forum 1/01  
“Refractive Options for the Hyperope”  
American Academy of Optometry 12/00  
“LASIK with the Autonomous LADARVision on

A Patient with Congenital Nystagmus” Poster Presentation  
American Academy of Optometry 12/00  
“Which Refractive Surgery Should I Choose Doc?”  
BDPEC Optometric Development 11/00  
“LASIK in the Large Pupil”  
BDPEC Optometric Development 9/00  
“LASIK in the Large Pupil”  
AOA Congress 6/00

Gonioscopy/Fundus Lens Workshop  
AOA Congress 6/00  
“Which Refractive Surgery Should I Choose Doc?”  
AOA Congress 6/00  
“ICL, An Alternative Refractive Procedure for the  
Next Millennium”  
California Optometric Association 4/00  
“Refractive Treatment: The Best Patient Care  
Today and Tomorrow.”  
California Optometric Association 4/00  
Millenium”  
VSP CE Lecture Series 4/00

***Clinical Investigations PI/Sub PI***

ICL,STAAR Surgical, NOV. 1998-2007  
Olopatadine Study 2000-2001  
Wavelight, Allegretto, Jan. 2000-2006  
Q-Vis, Q-Vis Limited, Aug. 2000-2003  
Alcon Dry Eye Study, June 2002-2003  
Allergan Dry Eye 2007-2008  
AMO Lens Study 2010-2012  
Dry Eye Prevalence Study 2014-2016  
AMO Crystalens vs. Tecnis Study 2016-2017  
Allergan Drop Study 2016-2017  
Kala Study 2016  
Shire Study 2017  
Oculeve Phase III Study 2015  
Allergan True Tear Study 2016  
Tearfilm Innovations-2017-2019  
Sight Sciences Phase III 2018-2020  
Sjogrens Study 2017-2018  
Tear Care Study 2019-2020  
ORA Visant Medical 2020-2022  
Sight Sciences- Phase IV 2021-2025  
LENZ Clarity 2023-Phase III-2024  
Claris -Phase III 2023-2025  
Tarsus-Phase IV 2023-2024  
Tarsus-Phase IV 2024-**Present**

Glaukos-Phase III 2023-**Present**  
Ocuphire Phase -Lynx 2-III-2025-**Present**  
Ocuphire Phase-Vega 3-III-2025-**Present**

***Editorial Board***

Primary Care of Optometry News 2005-2019  
Contemporary Optometry 2006-2008  
Review of Optometry 2007-**Present**  
Optometry Times 2008-**Present**  
Advanced Ocular Care 2010-2016  
Optometric Management 2013-2020  
Optometry Times 2018-**Present**  
Modern Optometry 2018-**Present**

***PUBLICATIONS***

***Over 1775 published articles in numerous journals.***

Optometry Times-Quarterly Co-Management Article  
Primary Care of Optometry News  
Eye Tube OD Video Series-“CPD” 2018-2019  
“Collaborative Corner” Continuing Vlog Series 2019-**Present**

**27 PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES**

*References and additional information available upon request.*

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